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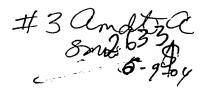
### AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed February 25, 2004, please amend the above-identified application as follows:







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# **AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL**

Sir:

An Amendment is being submitted herewith. Please charge the Deposit Account No. 09-0465 of International Business Machine Corporation in the amount of \$172.00 for the fee for two additional independent claims in excess of three (fee code 1201; 37 CFR §1.16(b)).

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The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment in connection with the filing of the above-referred to Amendment to the Deposit Account No. 09-0465 of International Business Machine Corporation. A duplicate copy of this transmittal is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

By

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**Enclosures**